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APPENDIXES (General)

1. RUMYANTSEV: former Luftwaffe officer, All attacks in Moscow, in liaison with Vlasov. In April 1945, he was in contact with Korolev, Red contact with high-ranking Soviet Air Force officers. Spain Russia.
2. ARMANDO DE RIBERA, Captured Report Section P.M.R., 1956! General Major in Luftwaffe August 1942. In 1943 was Chief of Staff in Army Group G.
3. ERIK HEDBERG: Major General ADMIRALSKY; Station-Air Attaché in Moscow. He was an expert on the Russian Air Forces prior to warlike having had detailed knowledge of the equipment and armament. He was personally well acquainted with high ranking Russian Air Officers. Spain Russia.
4. ARMANDO DE RIBERA, Subject, an acquaintance of George TRUMAN(r) and Luftwaffe officers who was the Luftwaffe liaison officer to TRUMAN. Before the Hitler-Germany war, Subject was the German Air attaché in Moscow; also he had good connections in London and Washington. Subject had a plan to build up a Russo-German anti-communist army to continue the anti-Soviet fight after the German defeat. In April 1945, Subject established contact with U.S. official Army with objective of recruitment of 100 and sale of anti-communist plan to the Americans. The rapidity of military developments prevented completion of this planstage.

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SEPARATE COVER ATTACHMENT # 2 to NMW 4043

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1. Dusseldorf Tel Dir 1956: Ministerialdir, Wasserstrasse 14.
2. Die Bundes Republik, 1954-55. Staatssekretär to Justizminister des Landes Nordrhein-Westfalen, Dusseldorf, Martin-Luther-Platz, 40.
3. State, RI Files, 18 June 1956. In June 1948 was 64 years old. In 1933, dismissed from Judiciary because of SPD membership. In March 1948 had a clean political record. Energetic, he was expected to help build up the bizonal court.

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SEPARATE COVER ATTACHMENT 3 to KNEW 4043

Julian BRAUN (Generalleutnant)

1. Army, AGO, DEB, Captured Record Section Files, 1956: Born 15 March 1895, Name Brianian. Entered Army July 1913. Generalmajor, 1 April 1943. Generalleutnant, 1 April 1944. Speaks English and French. In World War II first served with Artillery Regiment 215. Sept. 1942, Artillery Commander, 134th Regiment, April 1943, OKH. July 1943, Army Group A. August 1943, Commander, Mountain Division 4. May 1944, OKH. July 1944, Artillery Commando 318.
2. State, RI files 18 June 1956: Generalleutnant in Artillery. Was in Egypt 1951-52 with Fahrbecker's group, German Military Mission. April 1952, returned to Landsberg, West.
3. Not listed in Landsberg/Lech according to Oberbayern Telephone Directory 1953.

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Holmut GIESLER (Rep. e.S. 8.6.6.)

1. Summary: Formerly Communications Research Section, Oberkommando der Kriegsmarine, Berlin 1943-44. Location: Wilhelmshaven, West Germany 1945-55; Berlin 1953-54. Competence: Electronics expert-radar; underwater directional finding.

2. Navy, CGSHAWER APO 742, 220-S-54, 28 Sec. 5b (Info Oct 54)(B-2). The retired naval captain GIESLER is stated to be now employed by the Dusseldorf Radar Committee (Radarforschungsausschuss). His field of activity will concern aircraft radar.

3. CUSCI 3200, 7 Oct 1955: According to a report of 9 December 1953, Helmut GIESLER, former German Navy captain, was residing at Rabelaisstrasse 2, Wilhelmshaven, Germany, presumably with wife, Katharina, and their three children; Hans, Christoph, Volker, and Mechtilde.

4. Annex to 50/7 1 Mr. 103/52, NSMA 11956, 16 June 1952: Headquarters, West German intelligence, maintains a panel of technical advisers who are consulted in the preparation of special briefs to the interrogation of returning scientists from the USSR. Some of these advisers are themselves returnees, others are prominent specialists in West Germany who never have been in the USSR. The following named scientist is a member of this panel: Helmut GIESLER, Kapitän zu See geb. 1899, Fachmann für Funknachwesen (Radar) und Unterwasserortung der Marine.

5. British, MID Index of German Naval officers, as of May 1945; Interrogated Navy 1919, July 1925, Oberst. sur See, Kapitanleut. April 1933. Korvetten Kap., April 1937. Kapitän Sept 1942, 1932, consultant, Nachrichtendienstversuchsanstalt (Naval Signal Experimental Station) der Marine, 1936-7, Kommandant zw KLM; 1938, Navigation Officer on "Scharnhorst." 1941, Communications Department OKH. Has diploma Funkoffizier & Meisterschiffsoffizier. 1919-22, was in business, then returned to navy with loss of seniority. Is interested in U/S and had charge of big German Station which kept communication with "Doden" during her world cruise.

6. Navy, CUSCI files, 16 Nov. 1955: In 1942, qualified as sound location officer. April 1944, ORK/EIA Ia (Communication Research Section, Navy). January 1945 address, Wilhelmshaven, Viktoriastrasse 10, wrote friend that in December 1945, Russia had boarded his ship, made him take it to Lübeck; in January he was appointed Senior German Naval Officer at Bremerhaven. Remarks on how he had met all the Allies in such a short time.

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May, 1953, at meeting in Wilhelmshaven to reorganize old Deutsche Marine Band. April, 1954, Guest of Commander Elze for lunch aboard "Meredith."

7. Navy CORSAKOW, 33-52, 15 January 1952. In *Nauticus*, Yearbook of Seafaring and International Commerce, 1952, the following article appears by Kap. z.S.a.D. Helmut GIESLER: "High Frequency on Board."

8. Navy CORSAKOW, 356-52, 15 May 1952 (B-2): Kapitän z.S.a.D. Helmut GIESLER, Wilhelmshaven, appeared on attendance list of technical conference on "Locating Position by Radio and Determining Position of Soundings," sponsored by the Anstalt für Forderung-Gesellschaft für Förderung des Verkehrs, of Hamburg-Düsseldorf, held in Hamburg on 6, 7, March 1952.

9. Bremen Telephone Directory: As of August 1955, Helmut GIESLER, Kap. z.S.a.D., was residing at Wilhelmshaven, Malibertstrasse 2.

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